



Department of Emergency Medicine

# Weekly **email**

Updates for ED Physicians

**Feb 28, 2023 Edition**

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## Operations

### SAVE THE DATE

The Hodsman Legacy Lecture will be on **April 20, 2023** from 8:30am to 12:30pm.

### 2023 deadlines for the Clinical/Adjunct promotion process

- **February 17, 2023:** Recommendations for promotion to Professor ([Clinical/Adjunct/Research only](#))
- **March 3, 2023:** Recommendations for promotion to Clinical/Adjunct/Research Associate or Assistant Professor

[See this document for full details of requirements.](#)

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## Grand Rounds & Journal Club

### Emergency Medicine Grand Rounds - March 2, 2023

- **Time:** 0900 – 1030 (1.5 Education Credits)
- **Room:** 1503 O'Brien Centre ([Map attached](#))
- **New Recurring Zoom Link:** <https://albertahealthservices.zoom.us/j/67568401147?pwd=Tk04MkwYnNFOczZVRjdRSVkjU0FOZz09>
- **New Short Zoom:** <https://cutt.ly/B3jCc3h>
- **Passcode:** 864282

- **One tap mobile:** +15873281099, 67568401147# Canada
- **By phone:** Canada: +1 587 328 1099 **Webinar ID:** 675 6840 1147
- **Evaluation Link:** <https://cutt.ly/xT82kgH>

**Session #1 (0900 – 0945)**

**Moderator:** Dr. Chase Krook

**Speaker:** Dr. John Gunawan, EM Resident, CCFP

**Topic:** Approach to Bleeding in Liver Cirrhosis

**Description:** Normal measures of coagulopathy are affected in liver failure, so what do we do when a cirrhotic patient bleeds or needs a procedure?

**Session #2 (0945 - 1030)**

**Speaker:** Dr. Robin Lui, EM Resident, CCFP

**Topic:** VP Shunts in the ER

**Description:** What are VP shunts? Which Patients get VP shunts? What are the complications? What is the role of the ER physician in managing patients with VP shunts?

\*\* **Recording Link:** Archived Rounds Recordings & Rounds Pearls can be [found on our website](#).

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**In-Person Emergency Medicine Journal Club - Thursday March 2nd, 2023**

- **Date:** March 2, 2023
- **Time:** 18:00 to 21:00
- **Topic:** Defibrillation strategies for refractory ventricular fibrillation (DOSE VF) . [Dose VF summary.pdf](#); [Dose VF Discussion Questions](#)
- **Presenter:** Drs. Mary Freymond, Scott Wakeham and Sean Crooks
- **Preceptor:** Dr. Miles Hunter
- **Hosted by:** Dr. Charles Wong

**ARTICLE 1:** Defibrillation strategies for refractory ventricular fibrillation (DOSE VF)

Thanks

Mary, Scott and Sean

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**Journal Club: We are looking for staff preceptors and hosts for second half of academic year.**

1. Journal Club has been revamped to give it a more clinical focus. The majority of statistical analysis teaching will now take place in other resident teaching sessions. With this change, we are hoping to expand our list of preceptors. If you are interested in being a preceptor or co-preceptor, please reach out to Dr. Kelsey Ragan and Dr. Dave Mainprize. [kmragan@gmail.com](mailto:kmragan@gmail.com), [davegmainprize@gmail.com](mailto:davegmainprize@gmail.com)

2. We have moved Journal Club back to staff physician homes. As a host, you will receive \$750 for food purchases (this does not include alcohol purchases). We are hoping to fill March 2nd, March 30th and April 27th soon. If you are willing to host a Journal Club in your home, please reach out to Sean Crooks ([smcrooks@ucalgary.ca](mailto:smcrooks@ucalgary.ca)).

Please see [this Google Sheet](#) for Journal Club dates, hosts, resident leaders and preceptors.

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## Kudos

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**Congratulations to our own Department Head, Dr. Eddy Lang on his election to the [Canadian Academy of Health Sciences Fellowship](#)!**

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**Congratulations to Kathryn Crowder and Eddy Lang on the following publications!**

- [The multicenter impacts of an emergency physician lead on departmental flow and provider experiences - PubMed \(nih.gov\)](#)
  - [The management of alcohol use disorder in the emergency department, is it time for version 2.0? - PubMed \(nih.gov\)](#)
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**Congrats to Dr. Chris Bond for his appearance on the SGEM Podcast.**

[SGEM#393: You Down with APP, Yeah You Know Me - The Skeptics Guide to Emergency Medicine \(thesgem.com\)](#)

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### Academic Day Sessions - Preceptors Still Needed!!

We are still searching for preceptors for two remaining sessions for the final quarter of the academic year. As preceptor, your role is to guide the assigned resident as they prepare their session, and be present during the session to help answer questions and guide discussion. You will be remunerated at the standard PGME hourly teaching rate. If you are able to preceptor any of the following sessions, please email Anjali at [anjali.pandya@gmail.com](mailto:anjali.pandya@gmail.com)

- June 22 1300-1400 Implantable Cardiac Devices (ICDs, Pacemakers, LVADs)
- June 22 1400-1500 Peds Endo Emergencies

Thank you so much for your consideration!

Catherine, Anjali and Charles

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### STAFF Sims Sign up - Spots still available!

[EM Physician Participants: 2023 ED Staff Simulations \(Jan-June 2023\) \(signupgenius.com\)](#)

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**STAFF EXAMINERS FOR CCFP-EM ORAL EXAMS : 2023**

## June 8, 2023 – In Person

The CCFP-EM Residency Program is in need of 3 staff examiners for the oral exams on the following dates:

- **June 8<sup>th</sup>** from 1000 – 1300

**These exams have returned to In-Person sessions.**

Please check your availability and let me know if you are able to help on any of these dates and please send the responses to [TriSurendra.Malasani@albertahealthservices.ca](mailto:TriSurendra.Malasani@albertahealthservices.ca)

Your help and assistance is very much appreciated!! Once confirmed I will send Calendar invites.

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## ROYAL COLLEGE ORAL EXAM PREP

We are looking for examiners for our R4s for their upcoming Royal College oral examination on June 6, 2023. Our residents have given us a number of dates that they will be available and we do our best to fill these spots with either 1 or 2 residents per "room" depending on how many staff examiners we have. These sessions will be predominantly hosted virtually (note the location on the google doc). We will also be hosting Sask residents virtually for one of these dates, as their staff will be providing cases for our residents.

Please sign up in the google document [link](#). We will confirm your session within 1 week of the date. Please contact Chase ([krook.chase@gmail.com](mailto:krook.chase@gmail.com)) for oral exam questions if you would like cases for your sessions.

Thank you in advance,

Brit

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## OFDP - Clinical Promotions Workshop - March 21

Are you curious about the promotion criteria for faculty with a Clinical Appointment at the University of Calgary? Does the thought of applying for promotion seem terrifying? Let OFDP ease your fears, guide you through the process, and set you up properly to prepare a fantastic promotion package.

Attend our Promotions Workshop on March 21 – facilitated by OFDP team members Dr. Sylvain Coderre and Ms. Kenna Kelly-Turner – and come away with key strategies for success.

WHO	Facilitated by Dr. Sylvain Coderre & Ms. Kenna Kelly-Turner from OFDP
WHAT	How to Get Promoted
WHEN	March 21, 2023 3 – 5 pm
WHERE	ZOOM
HOW	<a href="https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/549678773007">https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/549678773007</a>

Office of Faculty Development and Performance,

## Peer Support

1. Call your Peer Support Team. [HERE are their phone numbers \(updated Nov 2022\)](#). The Peer Support Team member can provide an empathetic ear, screen for safety and guide you to resources that exist in our community (i.e PFSP).
  2. Call Physician and Family Services (PFSP) – 1877SOS4MDS. THIS LINE IS AVAILABLE 24/7. You have free hours of counselling for yourself and for your family members.
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## Research

### Save the date - Research Day May 4

The Department of Emergency Medicine will be hosting our 2023 Annual Research Day with our Keynote speaker, Dr. Teresa Chan.

Event on : May 4, 2023 from 8 am to 12 pm at the HSC, Libin Theatre. Virtual option is available.

If you have a research question but don't know where to start, please refer to our Research support request form. Our research team would be happy to assist you.

[Research | Cumming School of Medicine | University of Calgary \(ucalgary.ca\)](#)

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## Opportunities

### CSM Standing Committee Callout for AFRC, EFC, GFC, NC, SARC, UMEC

The Cumming School of Medicine (CSM) has the following volunteer standing committee opportunities:

[Admissions File Review Sub-Committee \(AFRC\)](#) - FIFTEEN (15) – faculty members appointed from full-time and clinical/adjunct with representation of all levels of appointments, TERM – 2 years, renewable once

[Executive Faculty Council \(EFC\)](#) - ONE (1) – Full-Time Faculty Member, TERM – 2 years, renewable once

[General Faculty Council \(GFC\)](#) - TWO (2) – Faculty Elected Academic Staff, TERM - 2 years, renewable once

[Nominating Committee \(NC\)](#) - THREE (3) – Full-time Faculty Members, ONE (1) - Part-time Clinical/Adjunct Faculty Member, TERM – 2 years, renewable once

[Student Academic Review Committee \(SARC\)](#) - ONE (1) – Faculty Member (Clinical), TWO (2) – Faculty Members, TERM - 2 years, renewable once

**Undergraduate Medical Education Committee (UMEC) - ONE (1)** – Full-time Faculty Member, **TERM** -3 years (renewable once), **ONE (1)** – Clinical/Adjunct Faculty Member, **TERM** - 2 years (renewable once)

**Note:** The deadline to receive applications is **Friday, March 3/23. Please provide your Expression of Interest (EOI), a Bio-sketch or current curriculum vitae to [forster@ucalgary.ca](mailto:forster@ucalgary.ca)**

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### Please find below two Expressions of Interest for ACMO positions

- [Associate Chief Medical Officer, Academic Medicine, Medical Service Models and Compensation](#)
  - [Associate Chief Medical Officer, Medical Staff Workforce and Quality Management](#)
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### UCalgary Arch Awards 2023

For almost four decades, the **UCalgary Alumni Association Arch Awards** have recognized visionary alumni with bold ambitions to improve our communities and make the world a better place.

Help us honour the achievements of these innovators, entrepreneurs and community champions by nominating an outstanding UCalgary graduate for a [2023 Arch Award](#) and by sharing nomination information with your network. **Not sure if someone is a UCalgary graduate?** Contact Leigh Hurst (CSM Alumni Engagement Office) and she will let you know!

**Nominations are open until 11:59 p.m. MT on March 5, 2023.**

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### Associate Research Director

The Associate Research Director is considered a **0.2FTE** position and is paid from the University of Calgary. It is compensated at the rate of **\$41,790.50 annually** inclusive of vacation pay and there are no benefits associated with it. If you're interested in applying for this exceptional opportunity, please email me a cover letter highlighting your interest and skillset for this position, and an updated CV.

The selected candidate will work closely with EM Research Section Chief. For further details about the role, please feel free to call or email me, Eddy or speak directly to Kathryn Crowder ([Kathryn.Crowder@albertahealthservices.ca](mailto:Kathryn.Crowder@albertahealthservices.ca)) and Katie at [katielinmd@gmail.com](mailto:katielinmd@gmail.com)

Thanks,

**Scott Banks**

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### Associate Dean (People, Culture and Health Promotion)

The Cumming School of Medicine invites applications for the position of Associate Dean (People, Culture and Health Promotion).

Please see attached for the complete terms of reference [ToRs](#) for the position.

The successful candidate will hold an MD or PhD; be a member of the CSM faculty; have leadership experience in health promotion and administration; be a respected educator and scholar; and have

proven ability to collaborate and sustain relationships within the Faculty.

The position is 0.4 FTE.

Please submit a statement of interest and curriculum vitae **by March 3, 2023**, to:

Dr. Beverly Adams, Vice Dean, Cumming School of Medicine  
c/o [ibrahim@ucalgary.ca](mailto:ibrahim@ucalgary.ca)

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## CME & Learning

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### CSM Special Event Invitation - Celebration of Women in Leadership - Mar 16

We are pleased to invite you to a special CSM event celebrating women in leadership, taking place on **March 16, 2023** - the final day of the second iteration of *PLUS 4W Fundamentals for Women in Leadership: Focusing on Current and Emerging Women Leaders*. This is an excellent opportunity to connect with current and emerging women leaders here at CSM.

As you may already be aware, we (Drs. Jayna Holroyd-Leduc, Fiona Clement, Sonya Lee and Tara Beattie) have developed a four-day program for women in leadership with support from the Office of Faculty Development and Performance. Participants are current and emerging women leaders from across CSM. The combination of focused sessions, reflective learning activities, and networking experience was very well received by last year's cohort. This year, PLUS 4W sold out almost immediately!

In recognition of the continued success of PLUS 4W and our participants, we are closing the final day with an end-of-course celebration. You are welcome to join for just the celebration, or you may enjoy joining us for the entire day which will include lunch as well as sessions on leading through change, adaptive leadership, inclusive leadership, and being an effective ally and accomplice.

- **9-11: First Block**
- **11-12: Lunch**
- **12-1:30: Second Block**
- **1:30-3:00: Celebration of Women in Leadership**

To join us, simply **RSVP to [ofdp@ucalgary.ca](mailto:ofdp@ucalgary.ca) by March 6<sup>th</sup>, 2023**, and please advise us of any dietary restrictions. If you are unable to attend, please feel free to send a representative from your department in your place.

Sincerely,

**The PLUS 4W Team**

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**[Trauma Resuscitation in Kids \(TRIK\)](#) - April 3 - 4**

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**Mindful Practice in Medicine Workshop**

March 10-12th, 2023

[In-Person Schedule](#) - Subject to change

[Info and Registration Here.](#)

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